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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD


SUBJECT: Conversation with Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.)

1. Senator Henry Jackson called me today and said he had tried to reach the Director but just wanted to get something worked out for some briefings on Soviet weapons systems in connection with the present SALT discussions. He said he would probably talk with the Director when he returns, but in the meantime wanted to arrange for Dorothy Fosdick and Richard Perle, of his Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations staff, to be briefed since he is heavily involved in committee meetings and other commitments.

2. The Senator mentioned that although Secretary Laird was up on the Hill yesterday there was still confusion regarding some of the numbers (presumably of missiles). He said the material would be handled professionally and on a nonpartisan basis. He added he would like to get started on this tomorrow if at all possible and said if Mr. Maury or I could stop by to see Fosdick and Perle he would appreciate it.

3. I told the Senator I was certain something could be worked out and we would be in touch with his staff directly. The Senator was quite pleasant and said he appreciated the fact that the staff's request for a briefing on 26 May came at a bad time.

4. Later in the day I called Richard Perle and told him Mr. Maury would be up to see Miss Fosdick and him some time tomorrow morning.


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